SPORTS

By Billy Thompson

Raiderettes Beat Queen Bees 22-8

The Appomattox Raiderettes beat the Brookville girls last Tuesday afternoon 22-8 in a Seminole District softball game played at Appomattox. The win made the Raiderettes 2-0 for the year and made Brookville 0-1 as it was their opener.

Brookville scored two times in the first inning and once in the second, but the Raiderettes scored six big ones in their part of the second for a 6-3 lead. Brookville then managed to score once more in the third, sixth, and three in the seventh for their eight runs. Appomattox got one in the third, nine in the fourth, four in the fifth and two in the six for their runs.

Kathy Martin led the Appomattox attack with four hits, including a home run and scored three runs. Becky Harris, Pat Ferguson and Mary L. McCraw each had three hits. McCraw hit two home runs and scored three runs. Ferguson has a home run and scored two runs. Jane Hix has a home run and scored three runs. Also, Lucy Martin and Joan Coleman each had two hits and scored three runs.

M. Brown led Brookville with two hits, including a home run and scored two runs.

Lucy Martin did the pitching for Appomattox and was the winner as she struck out ten batters and allowed only five hits. She has won both of the Raiderettes games.

S. McKenna was the loser for Brookville as Appomattox tagged her for 20 hits in getting the win.

Brookville 2 1 1 0 0 1 3 - 8 5 0
Appo. 0 6 1 9 4 2 - - 2 2 2 0 2

Bees Rip Appomattox 13-1

The Brookville Bees scored 11 runs in the first three innings to rip the Appomattox Raiders 13-1 last Tuesday in a Seminole District baseball game played at Brookville. The win gave the Bees a 5-0 mark in the district and 5-2 overall. Appomattox is now 1-2 for the season.

Darryl Padgett went the distance on the mound for Brookville and gave up only two hits as he had plenty of support from his team mates. They didn't make an error and pounded out 11 hits. Brewer led the Bees attack with three hits and scored three runs. Allen, Myers and Harlow each had two hits and Allen and Myers scored two runs along with Sharp and Padgett.

Flicky Williams and Steve Almond were the only two Appomattox batters getting the hits with Williams scoring the only run.

The Bees scored four runs in the first which proved to be all they needed. They added two more in the second, five in the third and two in the sixth. The Raiders scored their only run in the fourth inning.

Appo. 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 - 1 2 5
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Raiderettes Nip W. C. 17-16

The Appomattox Raiderettes had to come from behind all during the game to finally nip the William Campbell girls 17-16 in a Seminole District softball game played last Friday at Appomattox. The win gave the Raiderettes a 3-0 mark this year and left W.C. at 1-3.

Lucy Martin did the pitching for Appomattox and won her 3rd game in as many starts. Guthrie was the loser.

W.C. led 4-3 after the first inning, and Appomattox tied it 5-5 at the end of three innings. The Raiderettes scored four in the fourth for a 9-5 lead, but a six run outburst by WC in the fifth made it 11-10. Appomattox went ahead again in the six 14-12 only to see the Generaletes come back in the seventh for a 16-14 lead, but the Raiderettes came up with three big ones in the home half of the seventh for the one-run victory. The Raiderettes pounded out 27 hits and committed six errors compared to 15 hits for W. C. and five errors.

Martin was the star for Appomattox with the bat as she got five hits in five at bat and scored four runs. Kathy Martin and Pat Ferguson each had four hits and scored four and three runs respectively. Joan Coleman and Mary L. McCraw each had three hits and Becky Harris and Pat Book two hits each.

Miles led W.C. with five hits and Guthrie four hits to account for more than half of their team hits.

W. C. 4 0 1 0 6 1 4 - 1 6 1 5 5
Appo. 3 0 2 4 1 4 3 - 1 7 2 7 6

Generals Edge Raiders 6-4

The William Campbell Generals beat the Appomattox Raiders 6-4 last Friday in a Seminole District baseball game played at William Campbell.

The win gave the Generals a 5-1 mark as it was the second time they had beat Appomattox this season. The Raiders are now 2-3 for the season.

W. C. scored two times in the second inning and came up with another run in the third to tie it at 3-3 after Appomattox got three in the top half. The Generals went ahead 6-3 in the six to rap it up as the Raiders could manage only one more run. Bruce Holt got the big hit for W. C. in the sixth as he drove in two runs with a single. He also was the winning pitcher as he relieved Purcell in the fifth.

Garrett and Weakley led the Appomattox hitters with two apiece as the team got eight hits. The Generals got seven hits and no man had more than one as they put them together when needed.

Appo. 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 - 4 8 3
W. C. 0 2 1 0 0 3 - - 6 7 2

IT'S A FACT — In Harrismith, South Africa, a driver was fined $168 for steering with his bare feet while lying on his back.

Raiders Rip Altavista 16-0

The Appomattox Raiders evened their baseball record at 2-2 for the season with a 16-0 romp over Altavista last week in a game played at Appomattox.

The game was called before the regulation seven inning because of a one-sided run-away in the score.

Jimmy Chandler had a bases loaded triple and Flicky Williams, Joe Vaughan and Dennis Williamson were reported to each have had three hits in pacing the Appomattox Raiders. No line scores were available at the time.

Notice About Pony League

All boys who registered for Pony League are asked to report to the High School field at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 24. Managers, coaches, and others interested in helping are requested to be present, also.

Jimmy Chandler Beta Club Pres.

By: Pettis Bowling

The ACHS Beta Club met April 1, 1971. Sharon Johnson called the meeting to order, Kay Paulette had devotions.

In the business session, Jane Garrett was appointed chairman of the Beta Social Committee.

After this, next year's officers were elected. They are: Jimmy Chandler; vice president, Mary Lou Garrett; Sec., Dianne Williams; and Treas., Nancy Ranson.

The remaining officers will be chosen from next year's incoming members.

For the program, the Betas became mock Senators, and we debated a bill stating, "This bill will limit the use of loaded artillery on the college campuses in the control of student disorder." At the end of the discussion, the bill was blocked.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:40 p.m.

Bobby Clifton

1st Day's Hunt

First day of hunting! (spring gobblers, that is) and Robert (Bobby) Clifton bagged a twenty-pound, five ounce turkey Saturday. He got up before five a.m. and like many other turkey hunters say there is nothing quite like the sight of a big gobbler pounding down a forest path answering a hunter's turkey calls. For family and friends it appears there will be a delicious turkey dinner!

First In Dairy Judging Contest

The Dairy Judging team of the Appomattox Chapter, FFA Farmers of America, won first place in the Hub Federation recently. The Dairy Judging Team members were Phillip Harris, Ricky Lewis and Randy Foster.

Phillip Harris placed first high for a n individual. Randy Foster placed second.

MEN'S BOWLING

Country Club	56	34
Fleshmans Sunoco	55	35
Best Furniture	50	40
Garrett Co.	50	40
W&W	42	45
500 Club	14	73

High Team—Country Club 570
High Game—Dick Ferguson—137

MEN'S DOUBLE

G.Wood-W.Haley	49	35
F.Carter-J.Paulette	44	40
K. Doss-D. Spiggle	40	45
R. Tweed-J.Wood	35	49

High Set—Wallace Haley —383
High Game— W. Haley — 140

LADIES BOWLING

Rollingstones	52	26
Flintstones	51	27
Alleycats	28	47
Unknowns	22	53

High Set —Judy Conner —305
High Game — Pat House —114

SPOUT SPRING

The members of the Spout Spring HD Club are asked to note that their meeting time has been changed from Thursday April 22 at 7:30 p.m. to Thursday, April 29, at 7:30 p.m. for this month.

The April meeting will be held on Thursday, April 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Mickey C. Martin. "Home and Community Beautification" will be the topic of discussion and Mrs. Herbert S. Jones, Jr. will be the guest speaker.

Miss Margaret Moon is confined to her home here with a broken ankle. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Coyler Scruggs is in the Lynchburg Hospital. We hope she will improve soon.

Rev. Tom Waddell was in Spout Spring on Monday and attended the Revival Service Monday night . Good to have a former pastor back with us again.

Glad to have Mrs. Nora Woton back at Church on Sunday, having been ill a good while on account of sickness.

The Ruritans Spaghetti Supper on Saturday night at the school here was a success. Thanks to all who attended.

David H. Cyrus, Jr. of Charlotte, N.C. spent to visit his parents en route to Blacksburg on Tuesday.

Pvt. Emmett Harris

Completes Basic

Pvt. Emmett Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harris, Rt. 3, Appomattox, will complete basic training Friday, April 23, at Fort Campbell, Kentucky. His [illegible] ning to be present [illegible] Romines. From there [illegible] to be sent to [illegible]

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Youth Hour	6:00 P. M.
Choir Practice	6:45 P. M.
Evening Worship	7:30 P. M.
VISITATION:	
Monday	7:00 P. M.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday	7:30 P. M.

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"The South 40"

by JAMES A. SMITH
EXTENSION AGENT

Most families are busy getting their gardens in shape. My friend, Ernest Rogers, set out tomatoes the first week in April.

Beans are probably the favorite vegetable. There is no bean that's edible and also has ornamental value, this is the Scarlet Runner. Give it something to run on and it produces beautiful red pods.

The first time that I observed this bean being grown was several years ago by Miss Annie Alvis.

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Thinking of buying a home? Then consider these "rules of thumb." Pay no more than two and a half times your annual income. A month's house payment should not exceed a week's pay, or between 20 and 25 per cent of your monthly pay. One week's pay should equal one per cent of the price of the house.

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4-H Camp at Holiday Lake for 6-8-ers under 14 years of age will be the week of Aug. 1. Appomattox will be camping with Amherst County again this year. Cost is $20.00.

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We're still receiving numerous calls about clover mites in the home. They can be controlled by using Diazinon on the walls and Malathion around window and door openings.

Pick up a publication "Controlled Household Insects" from your office.

Dairymen generally tend to overrate the quality of forage they are feeding. They don't need to—testing services are available at no charge.

Forage nutrient for lactating cows are affected by both the amount and quality of the forage.

Of the two, quantity consumption is the most important. It is common that a 10% reduction in forage quality, as measured in terms of total digestible nutrients, causes a 20% reduction in forage intake, or a net loss of about 10% in dairy consumption.

Forage testing will make a big dollar man in Appomattox County if farmers when they really start using it.

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In a three year study of 100 factors affecting corn yield in North Carolina nine factors explained 75% of the yield differences.

We're right on top of corn planting so don't let these factors limit your yield. They are in declining importance: soil moisture, earliness of planting, acidity of the topsoil, availability of phosphorus, pounds of applied nitrogen, acidity of the subsoil, pounds of applied potassium, and presence of hardpan under the plow layer.

You control seven of the nine factors; therefore, it becomes a matter of management whether your corn yield is significantly affected.

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Don't neglect to get Di-System on plant beds now for flea beetle control.

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The gypsy moth has become a serious threat to the hardwood forests in eight Northeastern states. In 1958 defoliation covered 80,000 acres. The USDA estimates the 1970 acreage at 800,000 acres. Gypsy moth has recently been found in Virginia. We are interested in learning of insect activity on hardwood trees in this county.

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Uses Of Food Blender To Be Shown

Do you have an unused food blender setting on the shelf or in the back of a cabinet? Are you thinking of purchasing a blender?

Learn the many and varied uses of a blender. Put your blender to work.

Mrs. Mavis Gibbs and Mrs. Candice Dowdy, Home Service Representatives from Southside Electric Cooperative, will demonstrate "Uses and Care of the Blender" on Wed., April 28, from 1:30-3 p.m. at the Rescue Squad Building in Appomattox.

This program is open to the public. The Cooperative Extension Service and the Home Demonstration Clubs invite you to attend and to bring a friend.

For more information contact Miss Lelia Mayton or Mrs. Becky Johnson, Extension Agents, at the County Extension Office 352-2364.

IN VIETNAM

VIETNAM — Marine Sgt. Herman E. McMaster, Jr., son of Mrs. Herman E. McMaster of Rt. 1, Pamplin, Va., is serving with Force Logistic Command in Vietnam.

IN NORFOLK

Norfolk — Navy Petty Officer Second Class Michael J. Lair, of Pamplin, Va. is serving at the Naval Air Reserve Training Unit, Norfolk, Va.

photo by Betty Baxter

David Bradbury

'Aussie' Visits Appomattox

David Bradbury, of Sydney, Australia, is spending five months in the USA, including a recent two-day stay at Appomattox touring the National Park here. With his large sign "Australia to USA" he hitchhikes from city to city and (above) was ready to leave Caldwell's Motel for Charlottesville on Friday. He is a teacher of English literature in Australia, has visited 26 states in the US and 13 other countries. He plans to go next to Europe. He speaks highly of the beautiful National Parks here and the fact that it has not been "commercialized." He had already heard about Appomattox County's sourwood honey, and was hoping to sample some before leaving the county. County honey producers might want to ship him a sample! He'll be in New York for a while before departing for Europe and further travels. He says that in the U.S. he never has to wait more than 15 minutes to "get a ride."

Tri-Hi-Y Has Many Projects

The Senior Tri-Hi-Y of Appomattox County High School has participated in community and school activities this year.

In September, members of the club helped the Rescue Squad with door to door collections for their fund drive. During the Thanksgiving holidays, the Tri-Hi - Y members sponsored a party which was given to the children at Miller's Home.

In November, the club was responsible for the cleaning of the school trophy case, and during Homecoming Week promoted good sportsmanship through posters and school - wide announcements.

National Hi-Y week was observed in November. Club members wore tags that briefly described Hi-Y purposes. Posters were also made and displayed throughout the school. At the February P.T.A. meeting, the Senior Tri-Hi-Y presented devotions and a short program on the Tri-Hi-Y purposes and activities.

Friday, April 9, the club held a bake sale. We wish to thank the community and especially those who participated for your support.

'Keen Eye' Gets Gobbler

Willie Watson (center) killed this twenty-pound gobbler early Monday morning! The gobbler has a 10 inch "beard" and his companions, Leonard C. Garrett (left) and his son Teddy (far right) report that this gobbler "came on rather cautiously" after he heard the "snap" of Watson's gun safety. They also have a new name for Willie Watson — "Keen Eye" for bringing down such a nice bird while most of us were dozing or getting ready for the "Monday morning blues."

Salesmen To Be Honored

More than 250 Ford dealership car and truck salesmen in Ford Division's Richmond sales district will be honored for outstanding performance in 1970 at a banquet at the Hotel Roanoke in Roanoke, Va., on Sat, May 1.

Jack S. Straub, district sales manager, said a select number of Ford dealership salesmen will be presented a 300 - 500 Club membership award for "excellent retail sales performance." The 300-500 Club was founded 21 years ago to recognize the performance of outstanding Ford salesmen throughout the country.

Mr. Straub noted that the 11,000 salesmen in the 300-500 Club sold an average of $750,000 worth of automotive merchandise in 1970 to earn the national honor.

Local Ford retail salesmen qualifying for awards include: Jutson J. Morris, Patrick H. Lair, and Petty L. Page, of Lawson Ford, Inc., Appomattox, Va.

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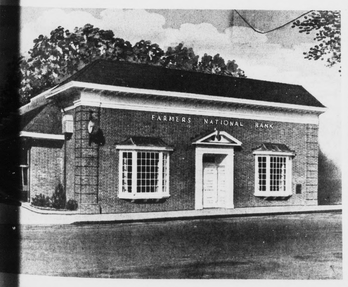

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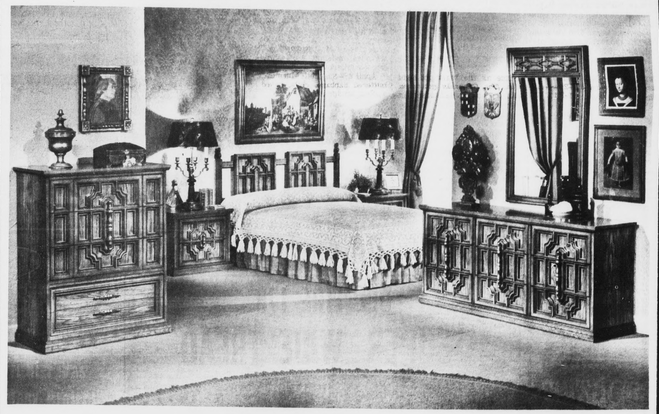
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